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The Illinois Department of Transportation (Department) is publishing the following proposed overall Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program goals for the participation in Department airport and transit contracts by DBEs for federal fiscal year (FFY) 2007 beginning October 1, 2006.

Airport contracts
– 22.77 percent
Transit contracts – 0.06 percent

On airport contracts, the Department estimates that, in meeting the overall goal of 22.77 percent, the Department will obtain 22.35 percent through race-conscious measures and 0.42 percent from race neutral measures. The transit goal will be met entirely through race-neutral measures.

Copies of the documents detailing the goals and how they were established are available for inspection from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Department's Bureau of Small Business Enterprises, Room 319, 2300 South Dirksen Parkway, Springfield, IL (217/782-5490), the DBE Resource Centers at 900 S. Des Plaines Street, Chicago, IL (312/939-1100) and 225 North 9th Street, East St. Louis, IL (618/583-2213), web site (<http://www.dot.il.gov>), and the following district office locations.

The deadline for inspecting the documents is September 14, 2006. In addition, both the Department and the United States Department of Transportation will accept public comments on the goals until September 29, 2006. Comments should be sent to the Department, to the attention of Paul H. Cerpa, Director, Office of Business and Workforce Diversity, 2300 South Dirksen Parkway, Room 300, Springfield, IL 62764, or e-mail: Paul.Cerpa@illinois.gov.

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